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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## DISTRICT OF NEVADA

THOMAS LESTER FURY, JR.,

Case No. 3:17-cv-00229-LRH-(WGC)

Plaintiff.

**ORDER** 

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NANCY A. BERRYHILL, Acting Commissioner of Social Security Administration,

Defendant.

Before this Court is the Report and Recommendation of U.S. Magistrate Judge William G. Cobb (ECF No. 19) entered on January 23, 2018, recommending granting in part plaintiff's Motion to Reverse and Remand Administrative Decision to Allow Award of Benefits (ECF No. 15) entered on August 18, 2017, and denying defendant's Cross-Motion to Affirm and Response to Plaintiff's Motion to Reverse and Remand (ECF No. 16) entered on September 18, 2017. On February 6, 2018, defendant filed its objections (ECF No. 20) and on February 20, 2018, plaintiff filed his response to objections (ECF No. 21).

The action was referred to the Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Local Rule 1B 1-4 of the Rules of Practice of the United States District Court for the District of Nevada.

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The Court has conducted its *de novo* review in this case, has fully considered defendant's objections, the response of plaintiff, and the pleadings and memoranda of the parties and other relevant matters of record pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Local Rule IB 3-2. The Court determines that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation (ECF No. 19) entered on January 23, 2018, should be adopted and accepted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation (ECF No. 19) entered on January 23, 2018, is adopted and accepted, and plaintiff's Motion to Reverse and Remand Administrative Decision to Allow Award of Benefits (ECF No. 15) is **GRANTED in part**; it is granted regarding remand only.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that defendant's Cross Motion to Affirm and Response to Plaintiff's Motion to Reverse and Remand (ECF No. 16) is **DENIED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this matter is REMANDED for further proceedings in accordance with the Report and Recommendation (ECF No. 19).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall enter judgment in this matter.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 14th day of March, 2018.

LARRY R. HICKS

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE